

# ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

## LOCAL NEWS.

**WASHINGTON PRODUCE EXCHANGE.**—The new organized Washington Produce Exchange does not seem to work to the satisfaction of all its members. At a meeting held yesterday Mr. Biedler addressed the Exchange at length. He had always stood by the commission rates established by the Exchange, but he thought it prejudicial to the produce trade of Washington just now, when a business of some magnitude was being brought into birth, to charge these established rates any longer for handling the consignments of shippers. It would divert the shipments from Washington to other markets, and he could not conscientiously do anything to cripple the trade. He therefore gave notice to the Exchange that he would hereafter fix his own charges.

Many members said that this could not be done unless coupled with his resignation. Mr. Saum spoke of the advantage the Exchange furnished commission and other merchants, and went on to prove that trade had increased since its establishment. He was a high tariff man and opposed to working for nothing. Instead of an uncertain market and uniform prices, we have now one that counts the consignments of shippers, and one which they can depend upon. He would support any plan for uniform commissions.

The discussion lasted some time, but the report was not adopted, and the committee was continued and instructed to make further inquiries and investigations.

Mr. Saum then proposed to drop all the matters involved and to commence on a new basis. A motion to that effect was lost.

It was moved and unanimously carried that the Chair appoint a committee of two to wait on every member of the Exchange and request his attendance next Thursday evening, for the consideration of important business.

**FRIENDSHIP FIRE COMPANY.**—A regular meeting of the Friendship Fire Company was held at their hall, last night, the President, J. B. Johnson, in the chair, and James Dugan, Secretary.

After the regular routine business, on motion of J. W. Nalls, a committee of four, consisting of J. W. Nalls, James Dugan, J. Travers, N. Noland and B. F. Penn, was appointed to have the engine overhauled and see what was needed to put it in good working order. There being quite a large attendance it was decided to try the suction, and it was found to be in excellent working order, with the exception of some slight repairs needed to some of the arms, which were broken at the fire on Payne street.

It was stated by a member that some time during the term of the last Council, an order was passed by the Board of Aldermen to make an appropriation for one thousand feet of hose for the hand engines, and it was hoped that the present Council would have the bill called up, and if passed it will be the means of adding an efficient arm to the Fire Department of this city.

Mr. J. W. Nalls stated that as to-night, one hundred and one years ago, the Friendship Fire Company was organized, and it had stood the storms of that number of years, and the ups and downs of the different administrations, both civil and military, it should at this day be a time-honored relic, and he hoped that like on this night he should always see a large attendance of members, and then the old company would not be allowed to go down again.

The meeting then adjourned till Thursday night next.

**THE COLUMBIA STEAM FIRE ENGINE.**—Yesterday evening the new Prunty valve and the three hundred feet of new hose recently purchased for the Columbia steam fire engine were subjected to a thorough test at the Duke street wharf in the presence of the Fire Wardens, Messrs. J. B. Smoot, George E. French, James P. Coleman and S. A. Green. The low tide made it necessary to draw the water as much as ten feet from the river, and with this disadvantage the engine obtained from one hundred and thirty to one hundred and sixty pounds of water-pressure to the square inch. The Prunty valve worked admirably, and is found to be a most useful invention, enabling the firemen to shut off the water from the pipe without stopping the engine. The new hose was purchased from Samuel J. Greer, of Philadelphia, and were guaranteed to stand a water pressure of two hundred pounds to the square inch, but two sections were burst—the first succumbed at a pressure of one hundred and twenty-five pounds, and the second at a pressure of one hundred and sixty pounds. The burst sections will be returned to the manufacturer, and others will be supplied in their place. Whilst the hose were being tested the water was thrown fully thirty feet above the chimney of the Pioneer mills, which is one hundred and ten feet high, and the Wardens expressed themselves as being fully satisfied with the results of the trial.

**ARRESTED.**—“Oh! I feel of scorpions in his mind.”

Mr. Theodore Dilger having looked too often upon the seething foam of everestest lager, at last found out that what made others drunk had made him bold, and a first-class row being congenial to his feelings concluded to seek the felicity of his domestic fireside to indulge that pleasure. There he gave vent to the promptings of his perturbed spirit in uttering malicious words and loud, filling the house with curses, cries and “deep exclamations,” in a most unbecoming manner, and whilst in the very torrent and tempest of his passion, Mayor Kemper, who was passing on the other side of the street, had his attention attracted to the din, and tendering the preservation of the public peace, appointed officer Horsemann to conduct the reluctant Dilger to jail, where he is now ensconced ruminating upon the uncertainty of human events.

**PROPOSED EXCURSION.**—The Catholic Beneficial Society at the last meeting appointed a committee to make arrangements for an excursion in aid of the funds of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. The committee are P. F. Gorman, John Landon, J. P. Rice, Lawrence Bayne and M. H. Nash. The funds of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul are all used for the relief of the poor without regard to creed, race or color, especial inquiry being made in each case by a committee to ascertain that the recipients are worthy of relief.

**AN EXAMPLE TO IDLE BOYS.**—A young lad, resident of this city, who, after many attempts failed to obtain work here, succeeded in getting employment at low rates in Washington, could not afford to pay his fare on the train, and daily, for weeks, has walked to Washington to work and returned home on foot at night. That boy is bound to make his way in life, for he deserves success. Two clergymen of one of the city Churches, on hearing the circumstances, furnished him with a commutation ticket.

**ALEXANDRIANS AT THE O'CONNELL CENTENNIAL.**—The O'Connell Centennial celebration at Washington, takes place this afternoon, beginning by a procession at 5:30. Some fifty Alexandrians will leave here this afternoon to take part in paying a tribute of respect to the memory of the Liberator. After a procession there will be speaking at the music stand in the Smithsonian grounds. Among the speakers is Col. William Kilgour, of Alexandria. The occasion will be one of considerable interest.

**A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF PERSONS FROM THIS CITY** intend to visit the camp meeting at Round Hill, Loudoun county, next Sunday. The W. & O. road will run a special train to the camp ground.

**NEW BOOK.**—A new edition of Ray's Elements of Algebra, edited by Col. Delaware Kemper, of the late Confederate army, and now Professor of Mathematics of Hampden Sidney College, has just been published. This well known book has long been recognized as a standard Algebraical treatise, and in preparing the present edition, Col. Kemper has greatly added to its value by making such changes as were demanded by the recent progress in Algebraic science.

**POLICE REPORT—MAYOR'S OFFICE.**—John Taylor, who escaped from the chain gang a year ago, and who failed to pay his fine yesterday, was sent to jail for 72 days.

A young man, for disorderly conduct and resisting an officer, was fined and discharged.

**Magistrate's Office—Justice Padgett.**—Remus Vin, who had forcibly taken the furniture of his father-in-law, Richard Thornton, was committed to return the goods.

**LOCAL BREVITIES.**

Preparations for the reopening of the many excellent schools in this city have been commenced. It is understood that the prospects of these institutions generally are excellent.

Among the marriage licenses issued in Washington, yesterday, was one to Ralph R. Burch, of Alexandria county, and Ann E. Kidwell, of Fairfax county, Va.

Messrs. Havener and Eveleth, of the Washington and Ohio Railroad, are at Round Hill camp meeting preparing a temporary depot for freight via the Washington and Ohio Railroad.

An Alexandria merchant desiring to do better for his consignors than he was able to do here, yesterday went to Georgetown for an advance and found rates lower there than here.

It will be seen that the steamer City of Alexandria is to make a trip to Washington on Monday night, to enable all who desire to attend the festival of the Schutzen Verein.

Two Alexandrians will conduct the services at the Methodist Protestant Church on Sunday; Jefferson Tacey in the morning and William U. Herbert at night.

The Corporation Court, Judge Lowe, begins its August term next Monday.

The Relief Hook and Ladder Company held a meeting at their hall to-night.

We call attention to the card of Mr. Richard Phillips. If you want to eat a good watermelon he can furnish a melon, knife and a comfortable place to eat it in.

If you are troubled with Dyspepsia, pain in the region of the Heart, Liver or Kidneys, or any other painful symptoms, do not wait to confirm the disease, but break it up at once by using Dr. Bull's Vegetable Pills. You will thank us for advice.

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**PERSONAL.**

**NOTICE.**—All persons will take notice that my wife, MARY E. DALEY, has left my house and protection and gone off with her friend (?) Robert Mills, bricklayer. This is to caution the public against crediting her on my account, as I will not pay any debt contracted by her.

**ADVERTISEMENT.**—WALTER H. DALEY.

**HEIRS OF THOS. UTLEY.** who went to Texas in or about the year 1835 or 1836, from Virginia.

**EXCURSIONS, PICNICS, &c.**

**NOTICE.**—The steamer CITY OF ALEXANDRIA will make a trip to Washington and return on MONDAY NIGHT, the 9th instant, leaving Alexandria at 7 1/2 p. m., and Washington, on return, at 12 p. m. Persons desirous of attending the festival of the Schutzen Verein, en route visiting Washington, can do so at 25 cts. for the round trip.

**CAMP MEETING.**—Beginning on FRIDAY, August 6th, 1875, at ROUND HILL.

Trains leave Alexandria daily, except Sunday, at 8:15 a. m. and 4:10 p. m.

On SUNDAY, August 8th, the train will leave Alexandria at 7:10 a. m. for the Camp Meeting. Returning, will leave the Camp ground at 4 p. m. Fare for the round trip \$2.50. 2-1w R. H. HAVENER, Gen. Supt.

**EXCURSION, BASKET PICNIC AND EXHIBITION.**

WILL BE GIVEN BY THE POTOMAC FRUIT GROWERS' ASSN.

WOODLAWN AGRICULTURAL CLUB, SATURDAY, AUGUST 7th, ON BOARD THE STEAMER MARY WASHINGTON.

Boat leaves 7th street wharf, Washington, at 10 a. m., and Alexandria at 10:30 a. m., returning at 5 p. m. The boat will go down the river as far as Quantico, stopping at the principal landings, thus enabling passengers to enjoy the fine scenery and pure air.

The combined Associations invite all their friends and the general public to aid in making the day delightful and profitable.

Fruit, Ice Cream, Fresh Milk, Coffee and other refreshments will be furnished on board. Tickets for the round trip 50c; children half price. Tickets for sale on board. jy 31-1w

**CAMP MEETING.**

There will be a Camp Meeting held at CLIFTON STATION, Fairfax county, on the W. & O. V. M. & G. S. R. R., commencing August 14th, and closing on the 22d. The Virginia laws prohibiting gambling will be as rigidly enforced as possible. Round trip tickets from Alexandria, Washington and all points on the road. Boarding accommodations on the ground. We invite our friends to pitch their tents with us.

**CAMP MEETING, COMMENCING THE 12th OF AUGUST,** will be held in the woods of Jas. M. Benton, esq., four miles from Middleburg. Ample accommodations for strangers will be provided by boarding tents, restaurants, &c., and the law will be enforced against persons settling on or near the encampment or engaged in any traffic whatever. On the 20th of July seats for tents will be made and the grounds prepared by erecting stands, &c., &c.

E. C. BROWN, Sec'y. M. E. Church South, Loudoun Circuit.

**Senatorial Convention.**

Notice is hereby given that a Convention will be held in the city of Alexandria, at Sarepta Hall, on Tuesday, the 31st day of August, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating two candidates of the Conservative party to represent the Senatorial District in the next Legislature composed of the counties of Loudoun, Alexandria, Fairfax and Prince William.

W. W. THORNTON, Chairman of Prince William county.

THOMAS MOORE, Chairman of Fairfax county.

B. F. SHEETZ, Chairman of Loudoun county.

JNO. B. SMOOT, Chairman of Alexandria county.

**BOB WHITE,** Westward Ho, Gravely and Durham Smoking Tobacco, just received and for sale by GEO. McBURNIE & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

**The O'Connell Centennial.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—A London special about the O'Connell centennial says: The banquet last night, given by the Lord Mayor of Dublin in honor of the memory of O'Connell, was a brilliant affair. A dispatch was received from the Pope giving blessings to all persons assisting at the centenary celebration. The health of the Pope was proposed first. The toast was received with loud cheering. The toast to the memory of O'Connell was responded to by the grandson of the Liberator, and by Archbishop MacHale, who said: "England was once under the government of France and yearned for deliverance from the thralldom. It was not strange that Ireland should now yearn for a home government, as did England of old." In consequence of the illness of his daughter, Lord O'Hagan's address will be read to the people by the Lord Mayor of Dublin, after the procession through the streets, from the platform erected on the site of the intended monument to the memory of the Liberator.

DUBLIN, Aug. 6.—The O'Connell centenary celebration is continued to-day. The ceremonies began this morning with a grand procession through various streets. This evening several banquets and balls will take place.

**Financial.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The Post's financial article says: Wall street markets are to-day clouded with rumors of a disquieting character. These all seem to emanate from the Stock Exchange, and to be accompanied by speculative operations there. We have made diligent inquiries and so far we can ascertain there is no foundation for the stories in vogue. They say three or four bankers are in trouble, and one or two stock firms. Taking the way the stories are circulated and all the surroundings, the inference is inevitable that they are simply the work of persons anxious to depress prices. Rumors of this kind can always be made to serve such a purpose after the failure of a house like Duncan, Sherman & Co. At the Stock Exchange prices fell 1/2 to 1 1/2 per cent. o'clock, but have since recovered 1/2 per cent.

**National Educational Association.**

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 6.—Among the resolutions adopted by the National Educational Association, yesterday, were the following:

**Resolved,** That since the public lands of the United States are the property of the whole people the proceeds of the sale or other distribution thereof should be faithfully applied to their use and benefit, and in no case devoted to the use of corporations or sections.

**Resolved,** That the good already accomplished by the National Bureau of Education is a complete vindication of the wisdom of its establishment, and we earnestly request Congress to increase the usefulness of the bureau by providing better facilities for the prosecution of its important work.

**Duncan, Sherman & Co.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—At an interview last evening, Mr. Duncan said he believed arrangements would be completed to-day in London whereby Morgan & Co. will protect the travelers' drafts issued by Duncan, Sherman & Co. Legation, and the American Minister thereunto made a demand on Judge Shipman for nearly \$17,000 on deposit for the Mexican Government. Shipman refused to deliver it. Suit will accordingly be brought before the U. S. Supreme Court to obtain that sum, on the ground that the law of nations declares such money protected by the same immunity as the persons of foreign ministers.

**The Peach Crop**

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Yesterday morning seventy-five car loads of Delaware peaches, of 400 crates each, arrived in Jersey City, and during the day were sold at \$1 and \$1.25 per crate. Yesterday afternoon the commission merchants received information that one hundred car loads had been shipped, to arrive this morning, which would cause a glut in the market, and they accordingly commenced to unload, selling out to the wagonmen at 15 to 20 cents per crate. The freight is 35 to 50 cents a crate.

**Fatal Accident.**

BALTIMORE, Aug. 6.—George Connor, aged 56, was instantly killed this morning at the Baltimore shot tower. While engaged at work his foot slipped and he fell into the machinery. His head and face were mashed into a jelly, his left arm was torn from the socket, and his body was otherwise horribly mutilated. Connor had been employed at the shot tower for the past 20 years.

**Killed.**

ROCHESTER, August 6.—Henry Gentle was shot and killed at Charlotte, yesterday, by a stray bullet from a picnic party who were shooting at a target on the opposite side of the river from him.

**Hanged.**

SELMA, ALA., Aug. 6.—Eugene Archie Kelly, a negro, was hanged this morning for the murder of Andrew Cunningham, also a negro.

**Fire.**

ROCHESTER, Aug. 6.—A large fire in Leroy, this morning, consumed Starr and Warren's block. Loss \$40,000.

**Personal.**

LONG BRANCH, Aug. 6.—Attorney General Edward Pierpont, arrived here this morning. He is a guest of the President.

**Weather Probabilities.**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6, 11 a. m.

In the Middle States, partly cloudy and warmer weather, during the rest of Friday; with increasing southeast to southwest winds, and falling barometer, probably followed by severe local storms during the night.

**The Markets.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Stocks active and unsettled. Money 2. Gold 13 1/2. Flour quiet, Wheat nominally 2 3/4 better. Corn quiet and unchanged.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 6.—Va. sixes, peelers, 40 1/2. do. consolidated 57 1/2. W. Va. sixes 8 1/2. Cotton quiet but firm; low middlings 14 1/4. Flour quiet but firm; City Mills Rio brands 7.75-8.00; other grades unchanged. Wheat steady and unchanged. Corn dull but steady; Southern white 88; do. yellow 89; Western mixed 86 1/2; 87 September. Oats firm; Southern 60 1/2; Western white 64 1/2 to 65. mixed 62 1/2. Rye dull at 93 1/2. Hay quiet and steady. Maryland and Pennsylvania 23 1/2 to 24. Provisions quiet, but steady and unchanged. Butter firm and active; Western extras 25; do. firsts 22 1/2 to 24. Coffee quiet but firm; Rio cargoes 17 1/2 to 18. Sugar quiet but firm; Rio cargoes 17 1/2 to 18. Whiskey firm at 123.

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